

APRIL 4, 2021 -- EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

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8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil

Sunday, April 4: Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

7:30 a.m. Anna May Gibbons †
9:30 a.m. Dr. William J. Cranston †
11:30 a.m. Josephine, Nick & Frank Roudis †
5:00 p.m. Veronica Bach Martino †

April 5: Monday within the Octave of Easter

7:00 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners
9:00 a.m. Bernie Carle †

April 6: Tuesday within the Octave of Easter

7:00 a.m. John Doxtader †
9:00 a.m. Claire Mullan †

April 7: Wednesday within the Octave of Easter

7:00 a.m. Margareth Dorsainville (Living)
9:00 a.m. Catherine & Joe McGrane †

April 8: Thursday within the Octave of Easter

7:00 a.m. Kenneth & Marion Short & Lena Schoenborn †
9:00 a.m. David A. Blakely †

April 9: Friday within the Octave of Easter

7:00 a.m. John Butler †
9:00 a.m. Susan Benincasa †

April 10: Saturday within the Octave of Easter

8:00 a.m. Cornelius & Margaret Rahilly †
5:00 p.m. George & Helen Schatzel †

April 11: Second Sunday of Easter or Sunday of Divine Mercy

7:30 a.m. John Doxtader †
9:30 a.m. Ida & Paul Werner & Karen Parkes †
11:30 a.m. Robert W. Liebel †
5:00 p.m. Robert W. Liebel †

SCRIPTURE READINGS APRIL 11

First Reading—Acts 4:32-35.

Responsorial Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1).

Second Reading—1 John 5:1-6.

Gospel—John 20:19-31.

Please Pray for the Sick of Our Parish, especially for Steve McIntyre, Frank Giambona, Angela “Jean” Diacovo, John Regan, Dorothy Krempf, and for all our parishioners who are homebound, in healthcare facilities or who are seriously sick.



In Loving Memory of Eugene Petruski, John DeJoy, and all who have died recently.

PARISH COLLECTION REPORT

Due to an early submission deadline from the publisher, the Parish Collection Report is not available.

WeShare February 2021

Regular \$5,955.00

Maintenance & Repair \$219.00

Religious Education \$162.00

Archdiocesan \$73.00

Our ushers will take up only one (1) collection during the pandemic. If you have a “second” collection envelope, kindly put this in with your regular collection envelope.

PARISH SECRETARY POSITION

St. Joseph’s Parish is looking for an Entry-Level Office person. Anyone who is interested in this position should pick up an application form in the Parish office. All interested people should submit their application by Tuesday, April 12, 2021.

April 10 & 11, 2021
Liturgical Minister Schedule

Mass	Lector	Altar Server
Saturday 5:00 p.m. Msgr. Sullivan	Anna Brett	TBD
Sunday 7:30 a.m. Fr. Cyprien	Marquita Rich	TBD
9:30 a.m. Msgr. Sullivan	Sue Minitier	TBD
11:30 a.m. Msgr. Sullivan	TBD	TBD
5:00 p.m. Fr. Cyprien	Dorothy McHugh	TBD

DAILY MASS in the CHAPEL

Please join us in the Chapel of the Parish Center for a 7:00 or 9:00 a.m. Mass or a Saturday at 8:00 a.m. Work should begin shortly on the lift at the Parish Center!!

ST. JOSEPH'S

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Grades 1st through 6th—the next regular class will be on Wednesday, April 7.

Grade 8 Course on Morality—this course continues on Tuesday, March 30, and April 13. (There will be **no** class on April 6.)

First Holy Communion—Saturday, May 22, 2021, 10:00 a.m.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Joan (845)663-2116 or sjre235@juno.com

ST. JOSEPH'S TEEN GROUP—our next meeting will be on Friday, April 26 from 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. with pizza!! I do need an adult to volunteer to be present at each meeting. If you are willing to do this, please notify me at: desoc@juno.com

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Many of you returned your baby bottles in February, and the Pregnancy Support Center informed us that those early bottles totaled \$378.00. They wish to thank you “*so very much for all of your support during February.*” Additional bottles have been returned and picked up by the Support Center’s staff since the initial delivery noted above. Their ultrasound is in the very final stage of set up and they ask for your prayers that no further delays occur. Thanks to all for your generous support of the Baby Bottle Campaign!

SATURDAY BIBLE GROUP

Beth Safford and Ralph Mitchell would like to welcome you to the Olympic Diner on Saturday mornings from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. The group will discuss the readings from our celebration of the Mass for that weekend. Stop in to join them or if you prefer, you can dial in and join the group from the safety of your home. Call Ralph (845)594-9487 or Beth (845)668-0448.

MILITARY SERVICE



- Army—Lt. Col. Kevin Doherty, Fort Gordon, GA
- Army—SPC Joseph Tanksley, Deployed
- Army—CW2 Justin Wanat, D.C.
- Army—Sgt. 1st Class, Kristin Chandler, Ft. Hood
- Army—Staff Sgt. Wm. Alex Anderson, Alaska
- Navy—NT 3rd Class Tyler C. Petro, Bremerton, WA
- Marines—Lance Corporal Baily Emerton
- Air Force—CPT David R. Beberwyk, Deployed
- Air Force—1st LT Jacqueline Beberwyk, Alaska
- Air Force MAJ Blaine Stewart, D.C.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR R.C.I.A. MEMBERS

This year we want to extend a warm welcome to all those who received sacraments at the Easter Vigil. We had five members who received all three Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, and First Holy Communion. Our best wishes go out to: Sebastian "Joseph" Alarcon, Tiffany "Theresa" Bloomer, Justin "Edwin" Scheck, Christine Lynk, and Diana "Marie" McArthur. We, also, had two people Confirmed at the Easter Vigil: Erin "Anne" Cragan, and William "Matthew" O'Connor. May God's Blessings be with them throughout their lives. They are an example to all of us of the importance of our faith. Let us never take our faith for granted but always put it into action and do all we can to share it with others.

PRAYER TO SAINT JOSEPH

O Saint Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in thee all my interests and desires.

O Saint Joseph, do assist me by thy powerful intercession and obtain for me from thy Divine Son all the spiritual blessings through Jesus Christ, Our Lord, so that having engaged here below thy heavenly power I may offer my thanksgiving and homage to the most loving of Fathers.

O Saint Joseph, I never weary contemplating thee and Jesus asleep in thy arms. I dare not approach while He reposes near thy heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for me, and ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath.

Saint Joseph, patron of departing souls, pray for us. Amen.



DARMSTADT SHELTER

Volunteers from our Parish started to deliver breakfast sandwiches to the homeless shelter on Thomas Street. We would like to ask all of our parishioners to donate a can of coffee and or creamers to go along with the sandwiches. Please leave your coffee and or creamer donation(s) in the blue bin located just inside the exit door before the confessional on the Wall Street side. Thank you!!

DO YOU LIKE TO COOK??

Some of our parishioners, who do *not* like to cook, are happy to provide you with all you need to deliver breakfast sandwiches to the Darmstadt Shelter. The eggs, cheese, rolls, etc. can be picked up from the Rectory office. So, if *you* like to cook and are willing to assist in this way, please let us know. Thank you for giving this option some prayerful thought.

CARDINAL'S ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

Many thanks to all who have already donated to the Stewardship Appeal. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, there is a particularly urgent need this year. Your donation will enable the Archdiocese to help those in dire need at this time. Thank you for prayerfully considering your donation.

LOOKING FOR A SUMMER JOB?

Ulster County's Summer Youth Employment Program has announced the start of their recruitment for the 2021 program. Income eligibility must be met and for more information call 340-3170 or www.UlsterWorks.com

EASTER MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

May the Power of our Risen Lord Jesus be with you all. The Mercy of God manifest in Jesus' death on the Cross for us, and the Love of God manifest in the Hope given to us in the Glory of the Resurrection are the greatest events in human history. I pray that we do not get so overwhelmed by the present COVID-19 crisis that we neglect what is most important in our lives. Jesus' love for us is far more important than anything we accomplish or than anything that can happen to us in life. In the end our relationship with Him is all that matters, and all that will exist for all eternity. As His sons and daughters, we are called to extend His love and concern to all those we encounter every day of our lives. May His peace engulf us, our families, our parish, our community, and our world. With His love in our hearts, we know nothing can defeat us.

Thanks to all those who make our celebrations so meaningful. The Music Ministry, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, and Altar Servers. Special thanks to our clergy who serve our parish: Father Cyprien Emile, Monsignor James Sullivan, and Deacon Joseph Doherty. Thanks to every one of *you* who make up the community of St. Joseph's Parish.

May St. Joseph bless us in this special year dedicated to our Patron,
Monsignor Desmond O'Connor